

In the Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A folding baby carriage comprising:
- a carriage body;
 - an engagement portion provided on said carriage body;
 - an open-state locking member which is displaceably supported on said carriage body to be displaceable between a locked position in which said open-state locking member is engaged with said engagement portion so as to lock
[[locks]] an open state of [[a]] the baby carriage
by engaging with a part of a carriage body; into a locked condition, and an unlocked position in which said open-state locking member is separated from said engagement portion so as to release said locked condition in the open state of the baby carriage;
 - an operating member which releases a locked condition in the open state of the baby carriage by moving arranged and adapted to move said open-state locking member from said locked position to [[an]] said unlocked position; and
 - a stopper movably provided on a body member of said carriage body so as to be operationally separate from said operating member, and movable relative to said body member between a first position in which said stopper is directly in contact with said open-state locking member to prohibit movement of said open-state locking member out of said locked position, to the unlocked position and a second position in which said stopper is separate from said open-state locking member to allow movement of said

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27 open-state locking member to ~~[[the]]~~ said unlocked
28 position.

1 2. (Original) The folding baby carriage according to claim 1,
2 further comprising forcing means for forcing said stopper
3 to be brought to said first position.

1 3. (Original) The folding baby carriage according to claim 1,
2 wherein said stopper is brought to said first position by
3 its own weight when the baby carriage is in the open state.

1 4. (Previously presented) The folding baby carriage according
2 to claim 1, further comprising:
3 a handrail member;
4 a handrail supporting member rotatably connected to a
5 rear end of said handrail member;
6 a rear leg having a rear wheel; and
7 a reversing member having one end rotatably connected
8 to said rear leg and the other end rotatably connected to
9 said handrail supporting member and performing a reversing
10 operation in accordance with transition from the open state
11 to a closed state of the baby carriage, wherein said
12 open-state locking member is provided so as to be movable
13 upward and downward along said handrail supporting member
14 and prohibits movement of said reversing member by engaging
15 with the reversing member at a lower position of said
16 open-state locking member, and said stopper is supported by
17 said handrail member or said handrail supporting member so

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18 as to be movable upward and downward and prohibits movement
19 of said open-state locking member by abutting on the
20 open-state locking member at a lower position of said
21 stopper.

1 5. (Previously presented) The folding baby carriage according
2 to claim 4, wherein said stopper has an upper end rotatably
3 connected to said handrail member or said handrail
4 supporting member.

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